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IN RE APPLN. OF: PALEKAR ET AL.
APPLICATION NO. 09/360,912
FILED: JULY 26 1999
FOR: METHOD OF ENFORCING A POLICY ON A COMPUTER
NETWORK
GROUP ART UNIT: 2135
EXAMINER: HOSUK SONG

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In re Application of: Palekar et al.
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 Filed: July 26, 1999
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METHOD OF ENFORCING A POLICY ON A COMPUTER NETWORK

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action in the subject application.

- ☐ Small entity status is claimed for this application under 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☒ Petition for an extension of time for the period noted below, as well as for any additional period necessary to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.
- ☐ Other:
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 9, 2004, please consider the following remarks. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims.

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